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TITLE OF INVENTION: **IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS- APPARATUS FOR EMBEDDING DATA INTO TRANSFORM AND SPATIAL DOMAINS OF AN IMAGE**

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